Re: Filming and Parking Issues

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From: Mistyli <mistyli@aol.com>
Date: 06/09/2014 10:32 AM

To: Melinda Ramos-Alatorre <melinda.alatorre@lacity.org>

It was my understanding. That the 2 hour free spots would be for the businesses.

Misty Iwatsu Executive Director, North Figueroa Assoc and Lincoln Heights Benefit Assn of LA

On Jun 9, 2014, at 10:04 AM, Melinda Ramos-Alatorre <a href="melinda.alatorre@lacity.org">melinda.alatorre@lacity.org</a> wrote:

Good Afternoon,

My understanding is that parking would be available for businesses and residents. Did I understand wrong?

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From: James Bygrave < <u>james@the-greyhound.com</u>>

Date: Wed, Jun 4, 2014 at 3:05 PM Subject: Filming and Parking Issues

To: Melinda Ramos-Alatorre < melinda.alatorre@lacity.org >

## Melinda,

Once again filming has closed down the public parking lots behind Owl pharmacy and Chase bank. Apparently the spots are now "Resident parking only" (see attached photo).

No outreach was done. The notice of filming does not mention the closures. I don't see any reason to make these closures as the filming is on Figueroa.

Again my concern is that parking for the cinema, the Greyhound and other business will be effected especially over the weekend and also that this is a long closure. Does the production company intend to shoot on the weekend? Will the signs come down? There are no signs for alternate parking across the street.

I have called Film LA to lodge a complaint and am awaiting a call back.

We realize that the City is trying to make LA a film friendly place especially after the runaway productions of the past decades, however, we have as much right if not a stronger case to make a living here and enrich the neighborhood. The disrespectful attitude of the production companies is wearing our patience thin.

Thank you for your attention to this matter,

James

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**James Bygrave** 

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